

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 1653 - SB 1348**

March 9, 2011

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires each municipality that appropriates funds to financially aid a nonprofit charitable or civil organization and that also maintains a municipal website, to maintain a web page detailing such appropriations. Requires the web page to include access to the municipality's guidelines for appropriating funds to nonprofit organizations, a list of organizations receiving funding in the current fiscal year, and information regarding the application process for funding.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

**Assumptions:**

- Only municipalities that operate or maintain a website as of the effective date of the Act are required to maintain a web page regarding nonprofit organizations.
- Approximately 178 municipalities (or 51 percent) across the state maintain an official website. The number of municipalities that appropriate funds to nonprofit organizations is unknown.
- Adding the requirement of a web page relating to nonprofit organizations for municipalities that currently maintain an official website will not require significant additional staff time and can be accomplished within existing resources.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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